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To: Chairmen McCrory and Sanchez, Ranking Members Berthel and McCarty, and esteemed members of the Education Committee

Re: <u>AGAINST Forced Regionalization in Darien</u>, Testimony on SB 457, SB 738 and SB 874

Dear sir/madam, Thank you for allowing me to submit testimony on SB 457, SB 738 and SB 874. I live in Darien and we do not support this forced regionalization of schools. Darien is fiscally sound and reinvests in its school and Town, taking very little in subsidization from the State. To force us to participate is to punish towns who have been self-sufficient and responsible. I am against this action of sharing resources across towns/cities

Thank you again for hearing my testimony. I'm happy to answer any questions you may have.

Regards,

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